Attorney Docket No. 990668A **Total Pages** UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor or Application Identifier (Only for new non-provisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) ITOH, et al. Check Box, if applicable [] Duplicate Express Mail Label No. ADDRESS TO: APPLICATION ELEMENTS FOR: POLYOXYALKYLENE Commissioner for Patents MAIL STOP BOX PATENT APPLICATIONS MONOALKYL ETHER, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING P.O. Box 1450 THE SAME, POLYMERIZABLE POLYOXYALKYLENE Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450 MONOALKYL ETHER DERIVATIVE, POLYMER OF SAID DERIVATIVE AND DISPERSANT COMPRISING SAID POLYMER 1. [XX] Fee Transmittal Form (Incorporated within this form) (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) 2. [XX] Specification Total Pages [86] 3. [XX] Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets [11] 4. [XX] Oath or Declaration Total Pages [2] a. [] Newly executed (original) b. [XX] Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d) (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed). i. [##] Deletion of Inventor(s) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). 5. [XX] Incorporation by reference (useable if box 4b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix) 7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) a. [] Computer Readable Copy Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) Statement Verifying identity of above copies **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS** 8. [XX] Assignment to: NOF CORPORATION, Tokyo, Japan has been recorded at Reel 010056, Frame 0139 on June 15, 1999. Please publish the assignee data with the application.

[XX] Power of Attorney

9. [] 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)

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10. [] English translation Document (if applicable)						
11. [XX] Information Disclosure Statement [] Copies of IDS Citations						
12. [XX] Preliminary Amendment						
13. [XX] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)						
14. [] Small Entity Status is claimed.						
15. [XX] Claim for Convention Priority [] Certified copies of Priority Documents a. Priority of <u>Japanese</u> application no. <u>170193/1998</u> filed on <u>June 17, 1998</u> ; <u>Japanese</u> application no. <u>160483/1999</u> filed on <u>June 8, 1999</u> ; and <u>Japanese</u> application no. <u>160484/1999</u> filed on <u>June 8, 1999</u> is claimed under 35 USC 119. The certified copy/copies has/have been filed in prior application Serial No. <u>09/332,892</u> . (For Continuing Applications, if applicable).						
16. [] Other						
17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:						
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